

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: ROBERT E. BRIDGES ET AL. )  
Serial No.: 09/621,645 ) Group Art Unit: 2886  
Filed: July 24, 2000 )  
For: LASER-BASED COORDINATE )  
MEASURING DEVICE AND LASER- )  
BASED METHOD FOR MEASURING )  
COORDINATES )

Customer No. 23413

**AMENDMENT FILED WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

VIA EFS-Web  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated December 15, 2009. If there are any additional charges with respect to this Amendment or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130.

Please amend the application as follows: